

# MISSOURI BALANCE OF STATE CONTINUUM OF CARE

## 2010 WINTER POINT-IN-TIME SHELTERED AND UNSHELTERED HOMELESS COUNT



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# DATA INFORMATION

The data in this report is gathered from 101 counties in the Missouri Balance of State (BoS) Continuum of Care (CoC). Social service agencies and community volunteers in each county complete a survey for every unsheltered household identified (living in a place not meant for human habitation) within the BoS CoC. In addition, sheltered data is gathered from social service agencies and organizations providing shelter (emergency shelter, transitional housing and hotel/motel vouchers) to households within the BoS CoC. Together, the sheltered and unsheltered data make up the total number of homeless individuals and families in the BoS CoC.

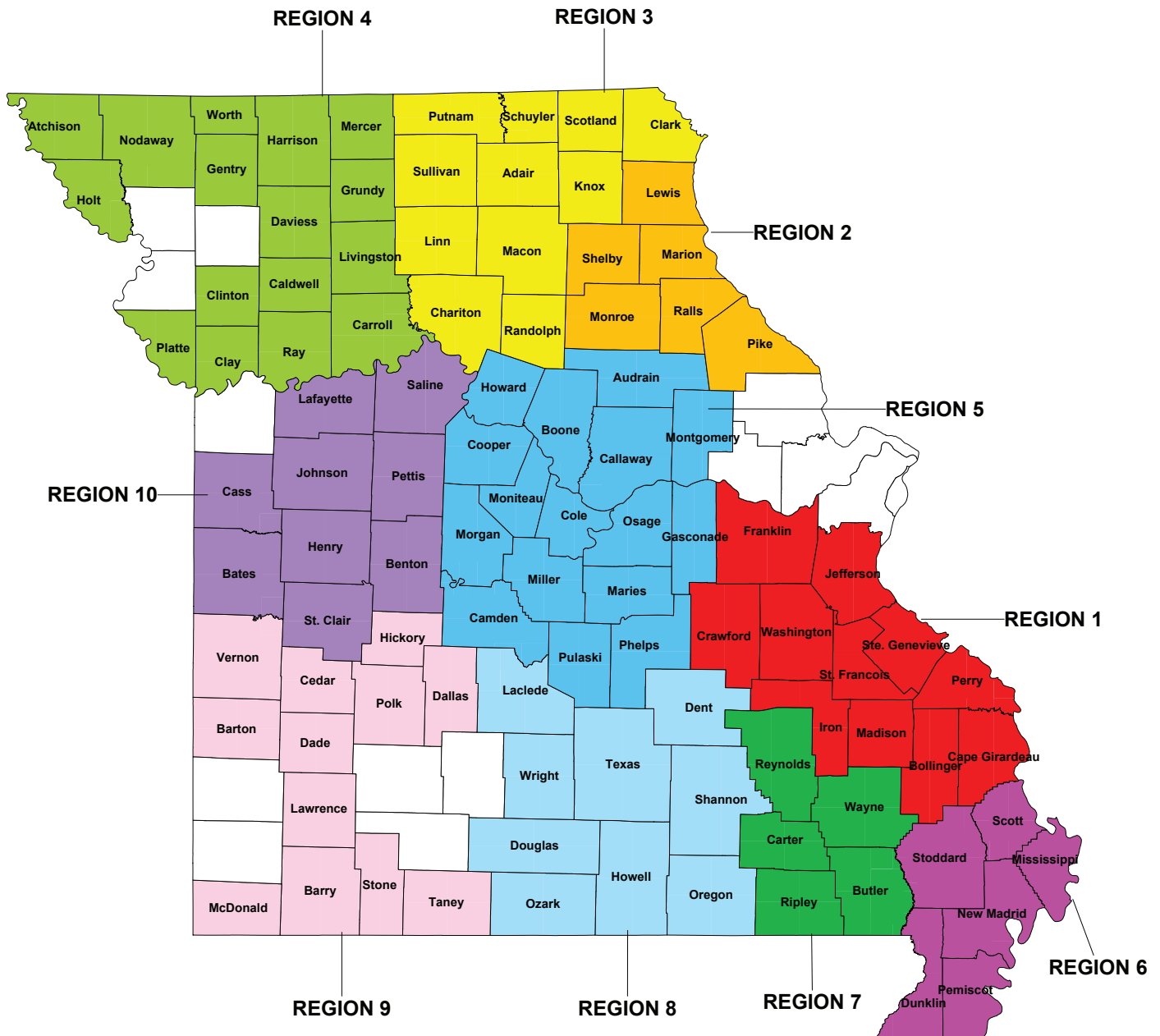
When tabulating data for unsheltered homeless persons, age, gender and race percentages were calculated using the total of all unsheltered persons surveyed. The veteran percentages were calculated using the total of all unsheltered adults surveyed. The disability, victims of domestic violence, chronically homeless and unaccompanied youth percentages were calculated using household information.

When tabulating data for sheltered homeless persons, age, gender and race percentages were calculated using the total of all sheltered persons. The disability, victims of domestic violence, chronically homeless and veteran percentages were calculated using the total of all sheltered adults. Unaccompanied youth percentages were calculated using the total of sheltered youth.

The “unknown/no...” category was used to represent answers left blank or marked “no” on the survey given to the homeless persons.

For more information on the Point-in-Time Count or to contact a member of our community initiatives staff, please visit the MHDC website at [www.mhdc.com/ci/point\\_in\\_time\\_count.htm](http://www.mhdc.com/ci/point_in_time_count.htm).

# BALANCE OF STATE CONTINUUM OF CARE REGIONS



# **BALANCE OF STATE**

## **SHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS:**

1,328

#### **AGE**

Under 17: 30.3%

18-45: 52.4%

46-60: 16.3%

61+: 1%

#### **GENDER**

Female: 50.1%

Male: 49.9%

#### **RACE**

White: 78.5%

Black: 16.5%

Two or More Races: 4.4%

American Indian/Native American: 0.2%

Asian: 0.2%

Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 0.2%

**DISABILITY: 56%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 22.4%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 26.6%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 3.9%**

**VETERANS: 11.2%**

## **UNSHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS:**

573

#### **AGE**

Average Age: 29

Age Not Provided: 162 Respondents

#### **GENDER**

Female: 34%

Male: 53%

Gender Not Provided: 13%

#### **RACE**

White: 64%

Black: 19%

Two or More Races: 6%

Other: 0.5%

American Indian/Native American: 1%

Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 0.5%

Unknown: 9%

#### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 42%

Unknown/No Disability: 58%

#### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 5%

Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 95%

#### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 8%

Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 92%

#### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%

Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 0%

#### **VETERANS**

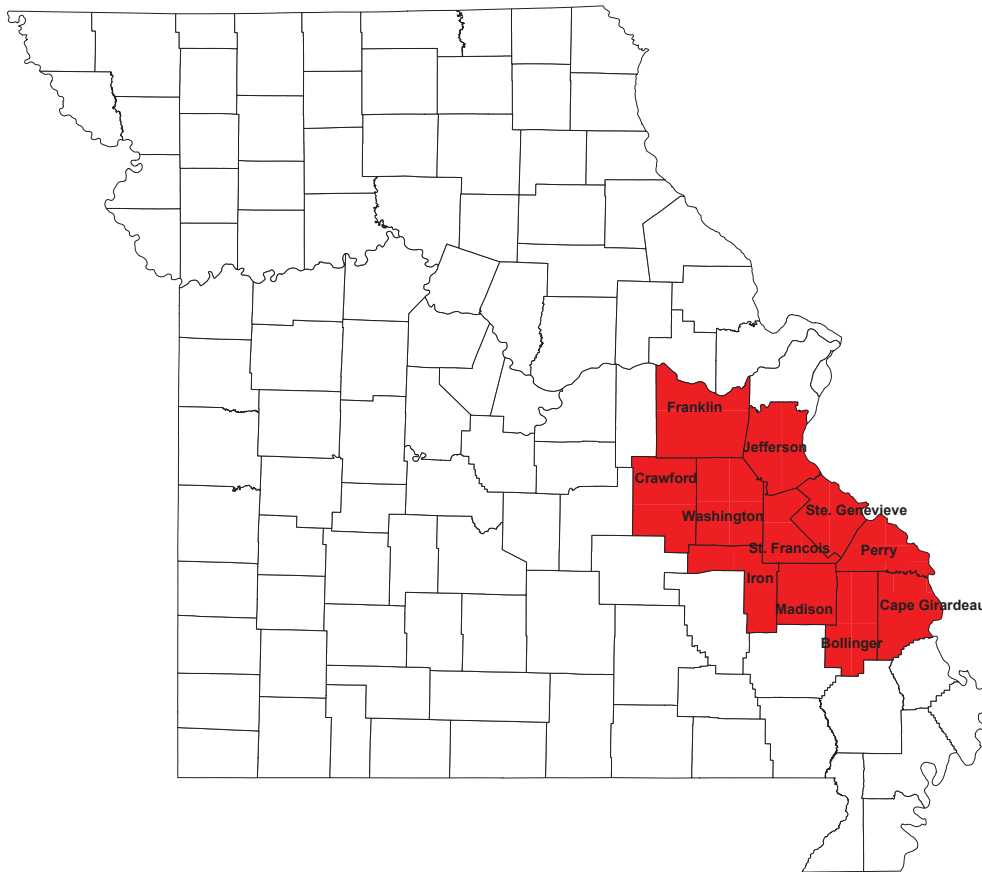
Veteran: 6%

Unknown/Not Veteran: 94%

# **REGION 1**

## **COUNTIES:**

Franklin, Jefferson, Crawford, Washington, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Perry, Iron, Madison, Bollinger and Cape Girardeau



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 178**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 166**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 12**

# REGION 1

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 33.7%  
18-45: 60.9%  
46-60: 4.8%  
61+: 0.6%

### **GENDER**

Female: 56%  
Male: 44%

### **RACE**

White: 75.9%  
Black: 19.9%  
Two or More Races: 4.2%

**DISABILITY:** 45%

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:** 19.1%

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS:** 8.2%

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH:** 0%

**VETERANS:** 3.6%

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 28  
Age Not Provided: 1 Respondent

### **GENDER**

Female: 33%  
Male: 67%

### **RACE**

White: 100%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 22%  
Unknown/No Disability: 78%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 22%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 78%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 0%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 100%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

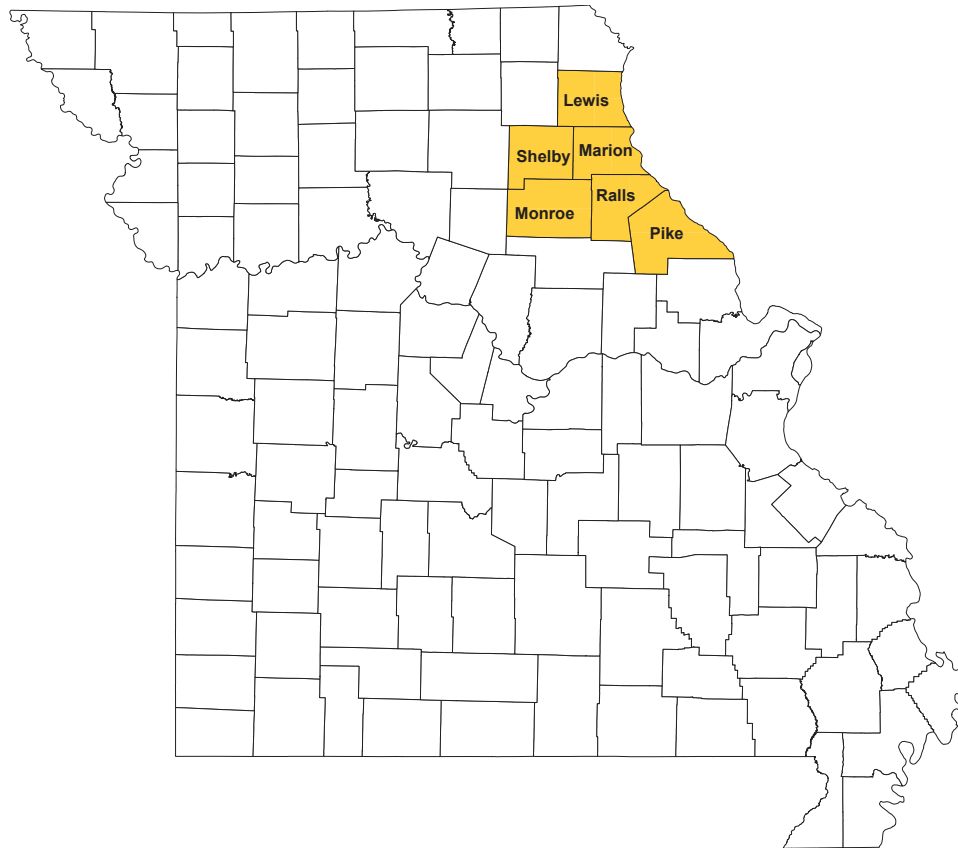
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 8%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 92%

# **REGION 2**

## **COUNTIES:**

Lewis, Shelby, Marion, Monroe, Ralls and Pike



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 92**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 26**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 66**



# REGION 2

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 34.6%  
18-45: 57.8%  
46-60: 3.8%  
61+: 3.8%

### **GENDER**

Female: 57.7%  
Male: 42.3%

### **RACE**

White: 61.6%  
Black: 19.2%  
Two or More Races: 19.2%

**DISABILITY: 41%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 35.3%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 23.5%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 11.8%**

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 34  
Age Not Provided: 0 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 36%  
Male: 64%

### **RACE**

White: 68%  
Black: 26%  
Two or More Races: 3%  
American Indian/Native American: 1.5%  
Other: 1.5%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 40%  
Unknown/No Disability: 60%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 7%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 93%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 9%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 91%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

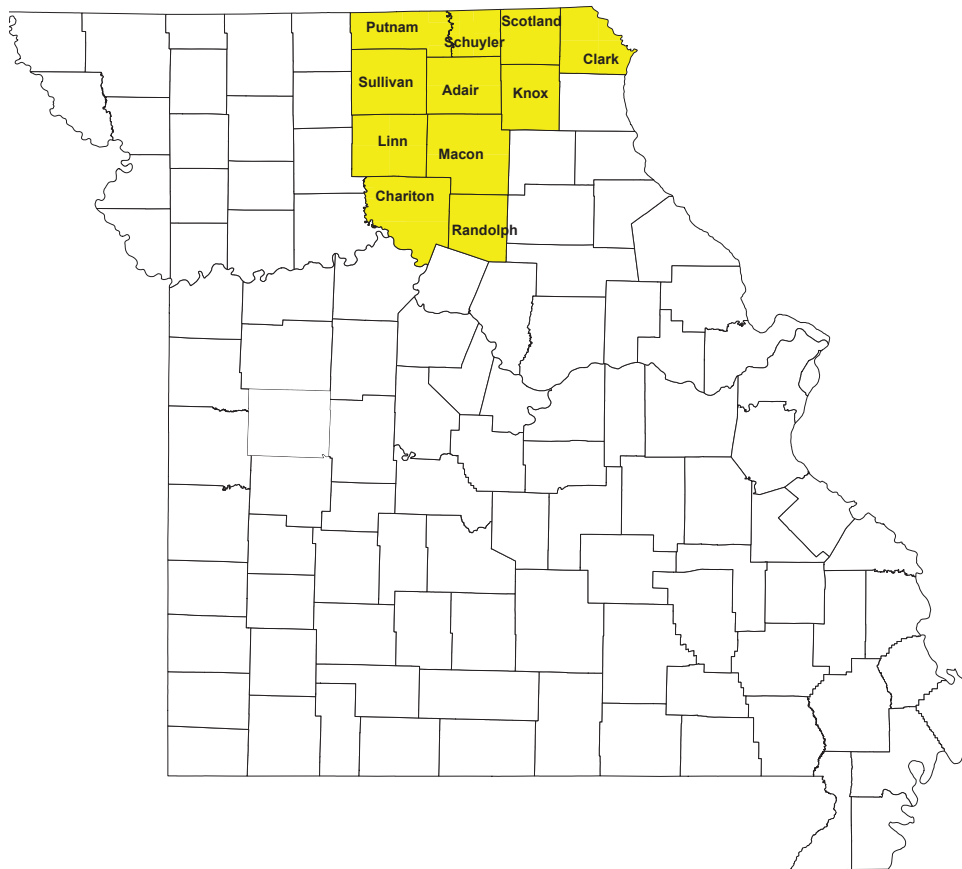
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 5%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 95%

# **REGION 3**

## **COUNTIES:**

Putnam, Schuyler, Scotland, Clark, Sullivan, Adair, Knox, Linn, Macon, Chariton and Randolph



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 57**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 27**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 30**

# REGION 3

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 44.4%  
18-45: 37.1%  
46-60: 14.8%  
61+: 3.7%

### **GENDER**

Female: 59.3%  
Male: 40.7%

### **RACE**

White: 92.6%  
Black: 3.7%  
Two or More Races: 3.7%

**DISABILITY: 33%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 53.3%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 6.7%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 0%**

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 27.5  
Age Not Provided: 0 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 60%  
Male: 40%

### **RACE**

White: 93%  
Unknown: 7%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 22%  
Unknown/No Disability: 78%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 0%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 100%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 0%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 100%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

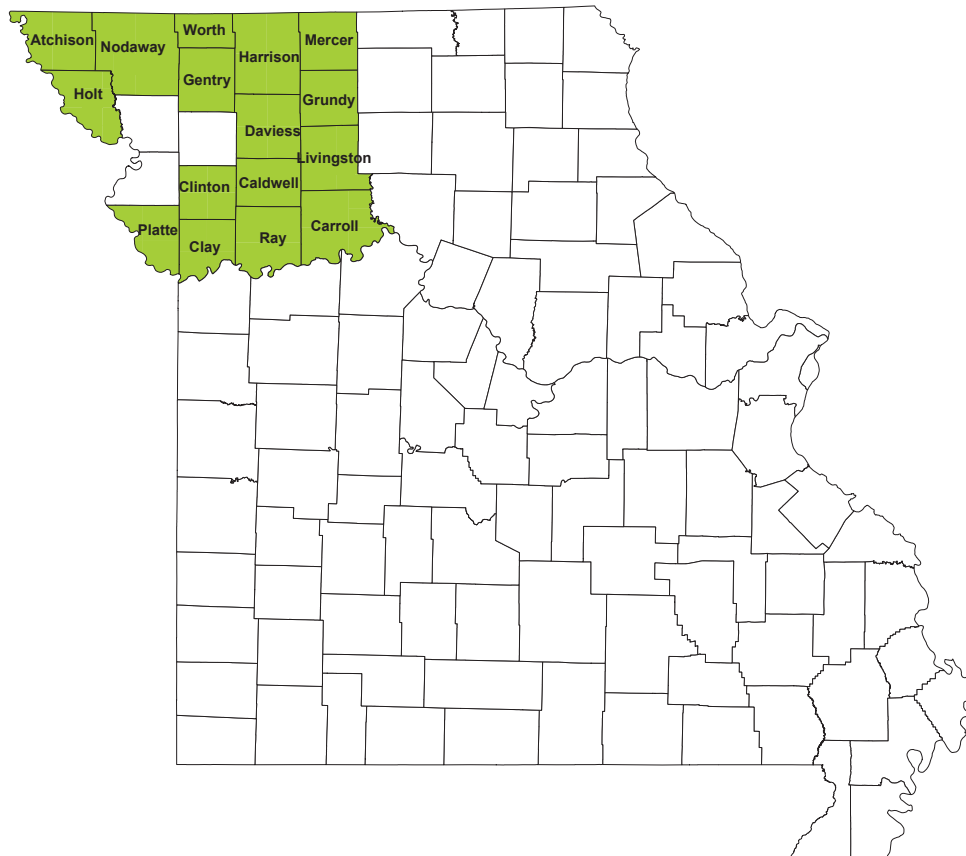
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 0%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 100%

# REGION 4

## **COUNTIES:**

Atchison, Nodaway, Worth, Harrison, Mercer, Holt, Gentry, Daviess, Grundy, Clinton, Caldwell, Livingston, Platte, Clay, Ray and Carroll



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 116**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 106**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 10**

# REGION 4

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 50%  
18-45: 41.5%  
46-60: 8.5%  
61+: 0%

### **GENDER**

Female: 66%  
Male: 34%

### **RACE**

White: 75.4%  
Black: 20.8%  
Two or More Races: 3.8%

**DISABILITY: 36%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 39.6%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 35.8%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 16.9%**

**VETERANS: 1.9%**

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 38  
Age Not Provided: 2 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 0%  
Male: 100%

### **RACE**

White: 100%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 33%  
Unknown/No Disability: 67%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 11%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 89%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 11%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 89%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

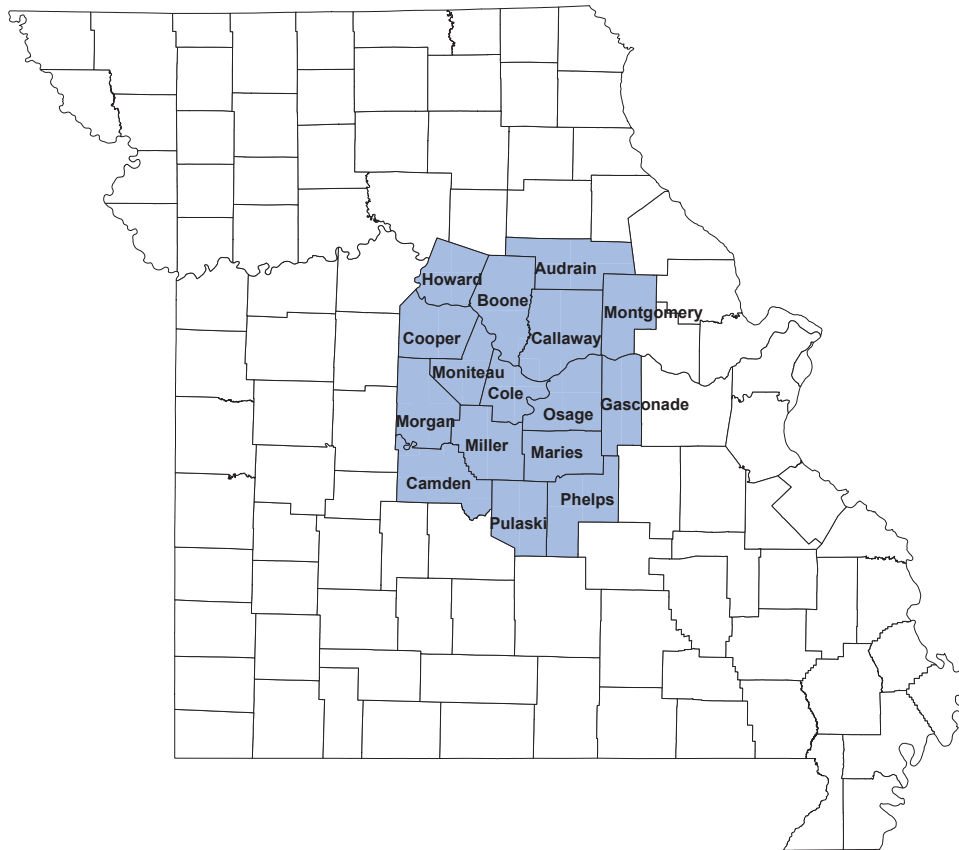
### **VETERANS:**

Veteran: 10%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 90%

# **REGION 5**

## **COUNTIES:**

Howard, Audrain, Boone, Callaway, Montgomery, Cooper, Moniteau, Cole, Osage, Gasconade, Morgan, Miller, Maries, Camden, Pulaski and Phelps



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 492**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 381**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 111**

# **REGION 5**

## **SHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Under 17: 26.2%  
18-45: 45.7%  
46-60: 26.8%  
61+: 1.3%

### **GENDER**

Female: 43%  
Male: 57%

### **RACE**

White: 65.8%  
Black: 27.3%  
Two or More Races: 6.3%  
Asian: 0.3%  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 0.3%

**DISABILITY: 50%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 18.9%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 24.6%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 7%**

**VETERANS: 20.3%**

## **UNSHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Average Age: 27  
Age Not Provided: 39 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 24%  
Male: 47%  
Gender Not Provided: 29%

### **RACE**

White: 58%  
Black: 21%  
Two or More Races: 17%  
American Indian/Native American: 1%  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 1%  
Unknown: 2%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 52%  
Unknown/No Disability: 48%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 10%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 90%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 30%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 70%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

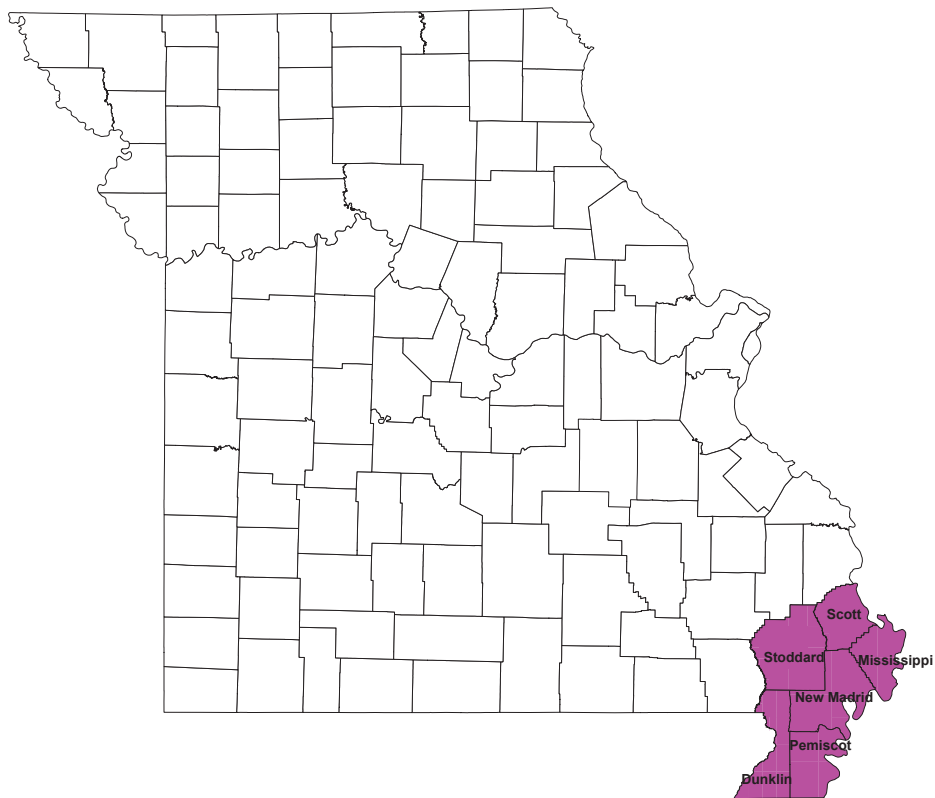
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 8%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 92%

# REGION 6

## **COUNTIES:**

Scott, Stoddard, Mississippi, New Madrid, Dunklin and Pemiscot



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 203**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 78**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 125**



# **REGION 6**

## **SHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Under 17: 51.3%  
18-45: 37.2%  
46-60: 11.5%  
61+: 0%

### **GENDER**

Female: 66.7%  
Male: 33.3%

### **RACE**

White: 53.8%  
Black: 43.6%  
Two or More Races: 2.6%

**DISABILITY: 32%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 31.6%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 0%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 0%**

## **UNSHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Average Age: 25  
Age Not Provided: 4 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 52%  
Male: 46%  
Gender Not Provided: 2%

### **RACE**

White: 48%  
Black: 44%  
Two or More Races: 5%  
Unknown: 3%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 70%  
Unknown/No Disability: 30%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 4%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 96%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 5%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 95%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

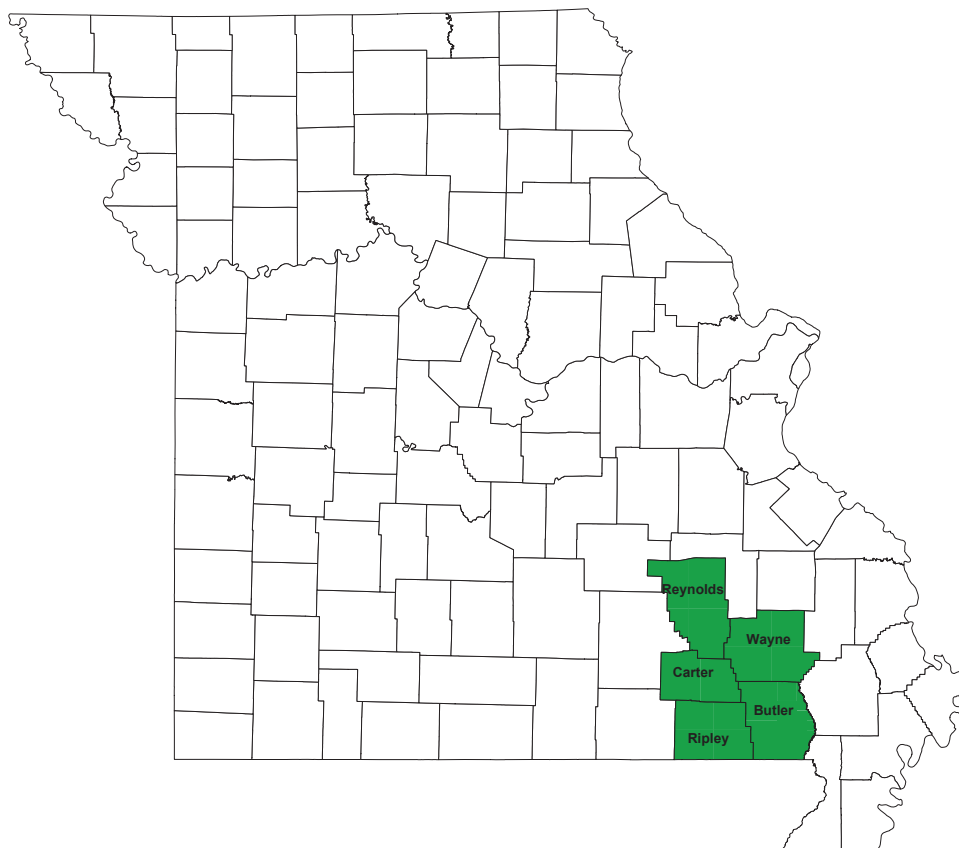
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 2%

# **REGION 7**

## **COUNTIES:**

Reynolds, Wayne, Carter, Ripley and Butler



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 104**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 90**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 14**

# REGION 7

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 31.1%  
18-45: 36.7%  
46-60: 30%  
61+: 2.2%

### **GENDER**

Female: 50%  
Male: 50%

### **RACE**

White: 96.7%  
Black: 3.3%

**DISABILITY: 45%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 32.3%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 6.5%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 32.3%**

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 37  
Age Not Provided: 5 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 21%  
Male: 43%  
Gender Not Provided: 36%

### **RACE**

White: 93%  
Black: 7%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 60%  
Unknown/No Disability: 40%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 0%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 100%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 0%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 100%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

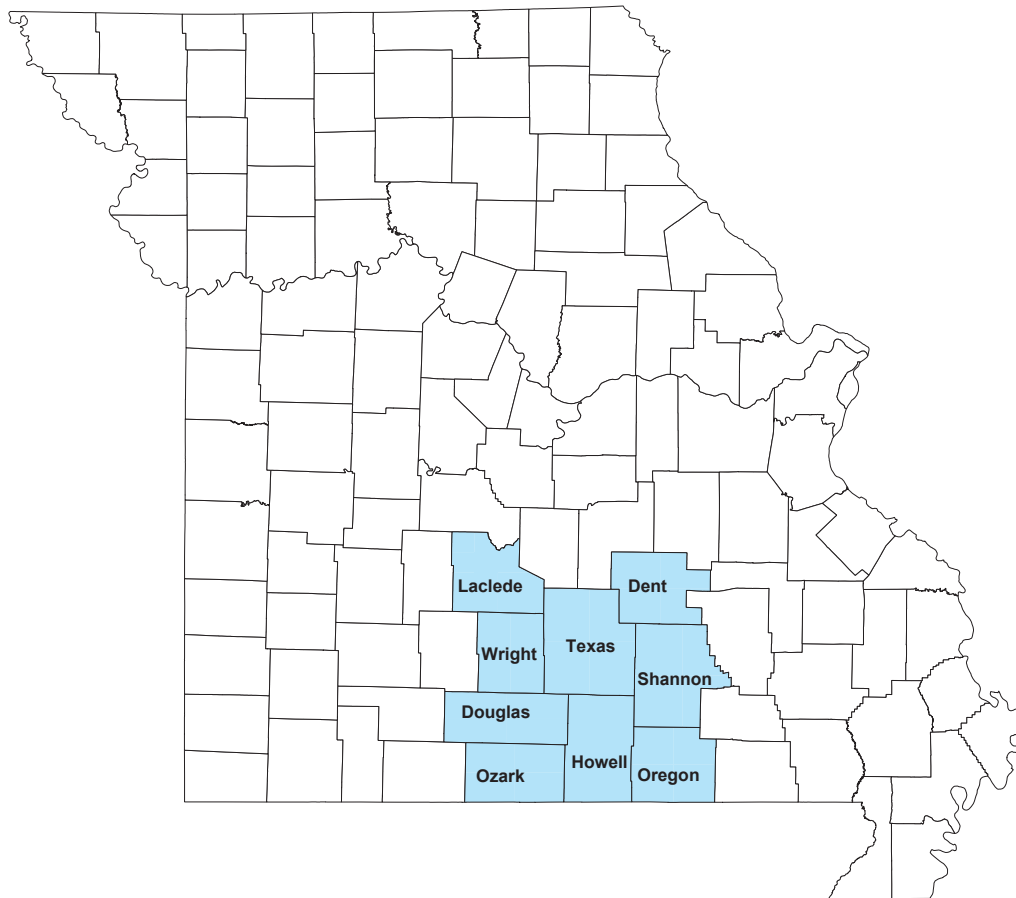
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 0%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 100%

# **REGION 8**

## **COUNTIES:**

Laclede, Dent, Wright, Texas, Shannon, Douglas, Ozark, Howell and Oregon



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 161**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 60**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 101**

# REGION 8

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 43.3%  
18-45: 45%  
46-60: 11.7%  
61+: 0%

### **GENDER**

Female: 65%  
Male: 35%

### **RACE**

White: 98.3%  
Black: 1.7%

**DISABILITY: 38%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 44.1%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 8.8%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 0%**

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 37  
Age Not Provided: 79 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 14.5%  
Male: 61.5%  
Gender Not Provided: 24%

### **RACE**

White: 62%  
Black: 1%  
Two or More Races: 1%  
Unknown: 36%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 10%  
Unknown/No Disability: 90%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 1%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 99%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 1%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 99%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

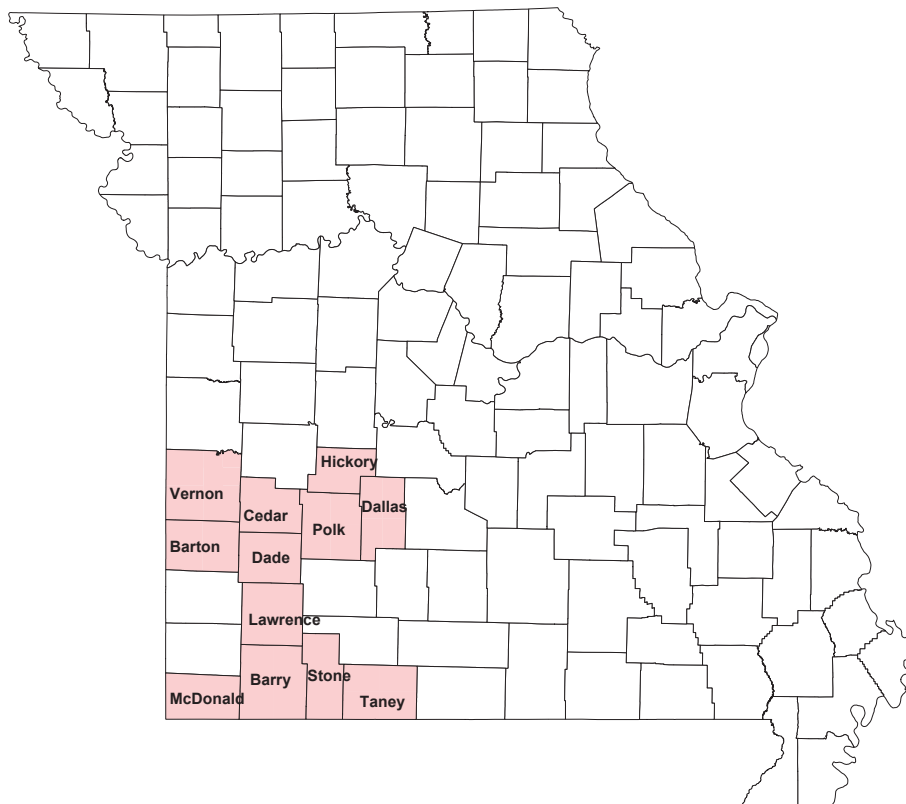
### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 2%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 98%

# **REGION 9**

## **COUNTIES:**

Vernon, Hickory, Barton, Cedar, Dade, Polk, Dallas, Lawrence, McDonald, Barry, Stone and Taney



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 313**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 298**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 15**

# REGION 9

## SHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Under 17: 14.1%  
18-45: 72.5%  
46-60: 12.4%  
61+: 1%

### **GENDER**

Female: 39.9%  
Male: 60.1%

### **RACE**

White: 92.3%  
Black: 3.0%  
Two or More Races: 4%  
American Indian/Native American: 0.7%

**DISABILITY:** 84%

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:** 11.7%

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS:** 49.6%

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH:** 0%

**VETERANS:** 6.6%

## UNSHELTERED INFORMATION

### **AGE**

Average Age: 45  
Age Not Provided: 12 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 13%  
Male: 53.5%  
Gender Not Provided: 33.5%

### **RACE**

White: 67%  
Unknown: 33%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 25%  
Unknown/No Disability: 75%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 8%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 92%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 0%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 100%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/Not Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 13%  
Unknown/Not Veteran: 87%

# **REGION 10**

## **COUNTIES:**

Lafayette, Saline, Cass, Johnson, Pettis, Bates, Henry, Benton and St. Clair



**TOTAL HOMELESS: 185**

**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 96**

**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 89**



# **REGION 10**

## **SHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Under 17: 38.5%  
18-45: 49%  
46-60: 12.5%  
61+: 0%

### **GENDER**

Female: 54.2%  
Male: 45.8%

### **RACE**

White: 87.6%  
Black: 7.3%  
Two or More Races: 3.1%  
Asian: 1%  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 1%

**DISABILITY: 49%**

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: 35.6%**

**CHRONICALLY HOMELESS: 16.9%**

**UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH: 0%**

**VETERANS: 5.1%**

## **UNSHELTERED INFORMATION**

### **AGE**

Average Age: 30  
Age Not Provided: 19 Respondents

### **GENDER**

Female: 42%  
Male: 55%  
Gender Not Provided: 3%

### **RACE**

White: 72%  
Black: 13%  
Two or More Races: 7%  
Unknown: 8%

### **DISABILITY**

Disability: 50%  
Unknown/No Disability: 50%

### **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Domestic Violence: 4%  
Unknown/No Domestic Violence: 96%

### **CHRONICALLY HOMELESS**

Chronically Homeless: 4%  
Unknown/Not Chronically Homeless: 96%

### **UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH**

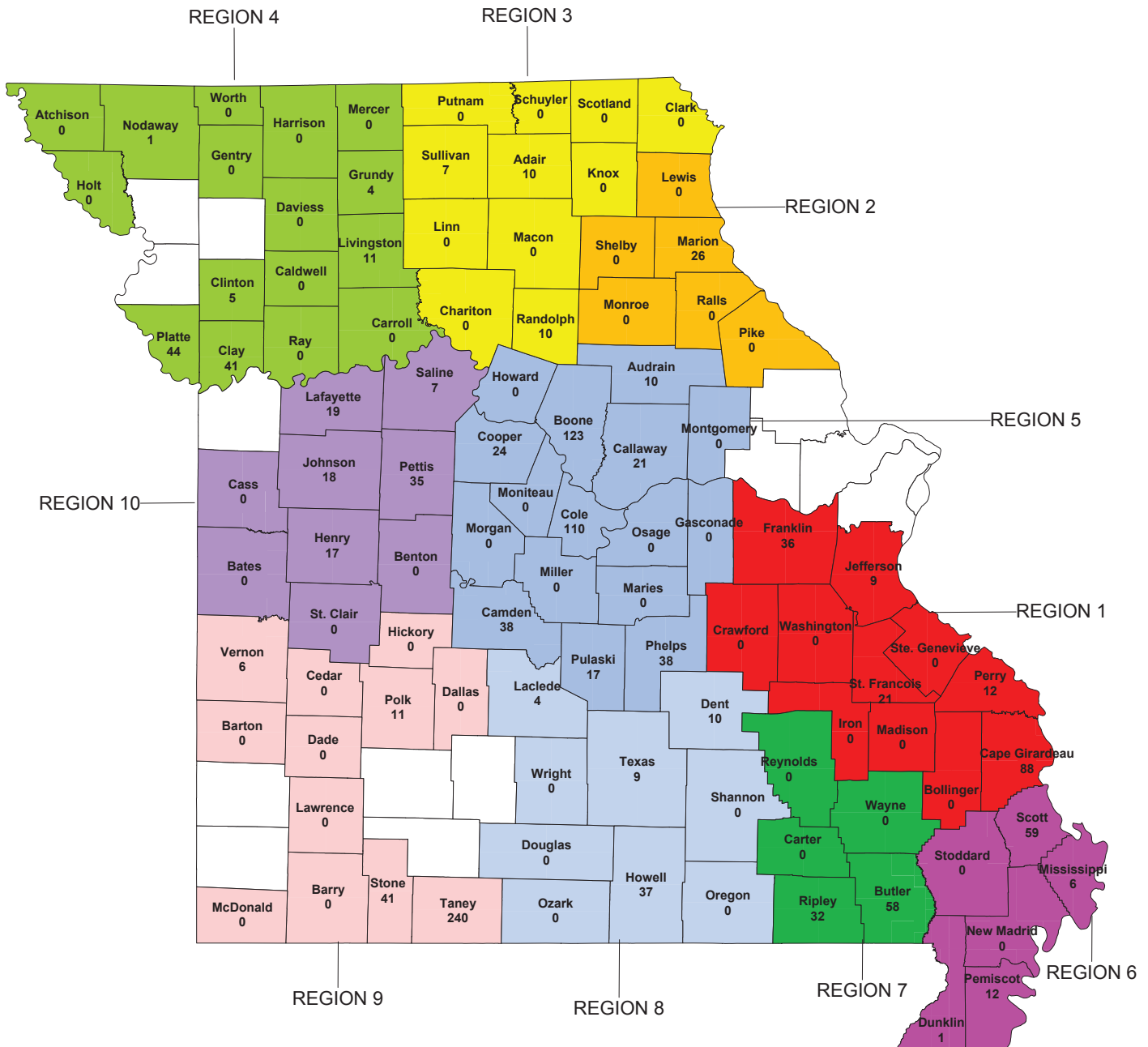
Unaccompanied Youth: 0%  
Unknown/No Unaccompanied Youth: 100%

### **VETERANS**

Veteran: 9%

# BALANCE OF STATE SHELTERED TOTALS

## Homeless Individuals By County

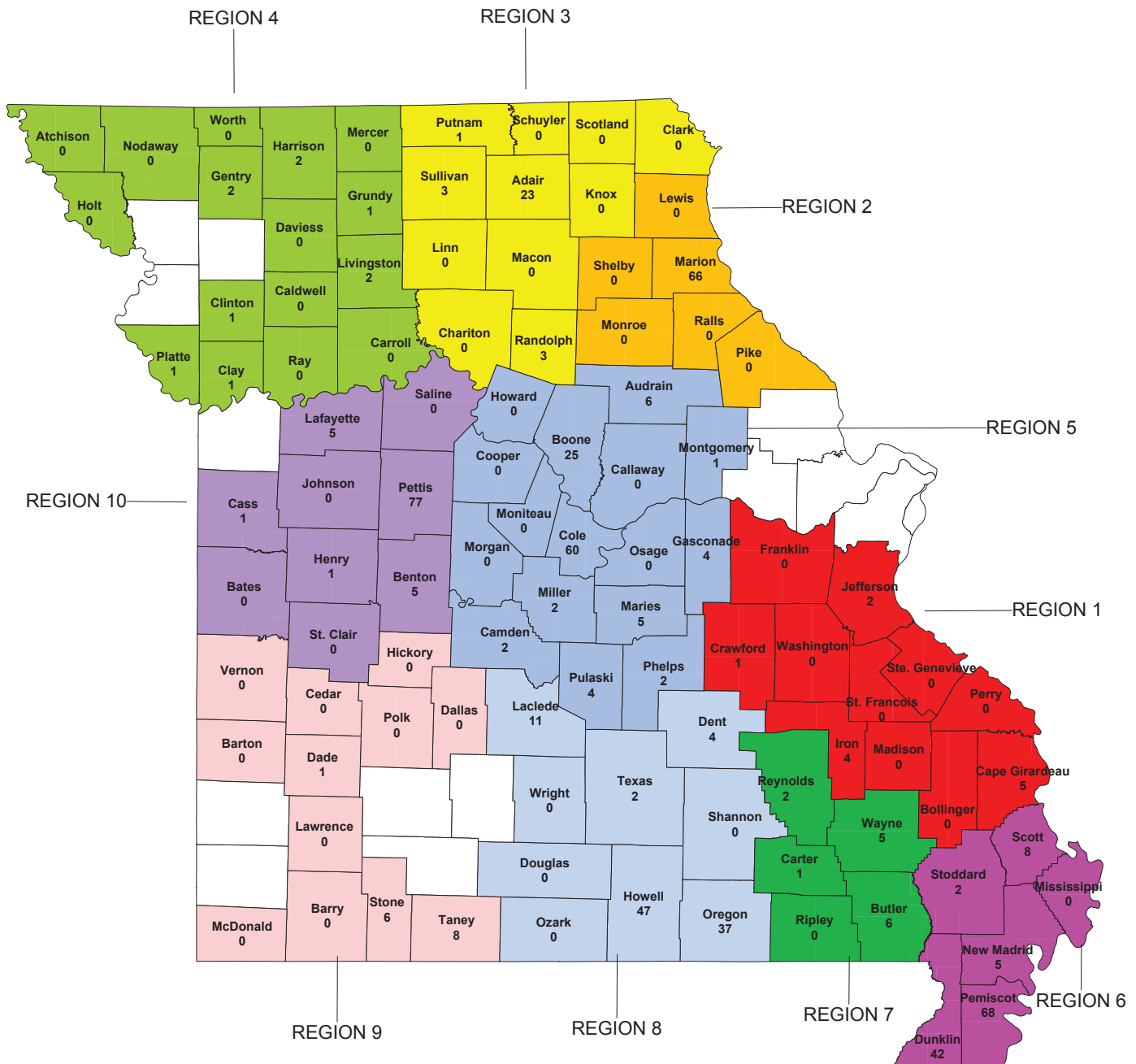


**TOTAL SHELTERED HOMELESS: 1,328**

# BALANCE OF STATE

## UNSHELTERED TOTALS

### Homeless Individuals By County

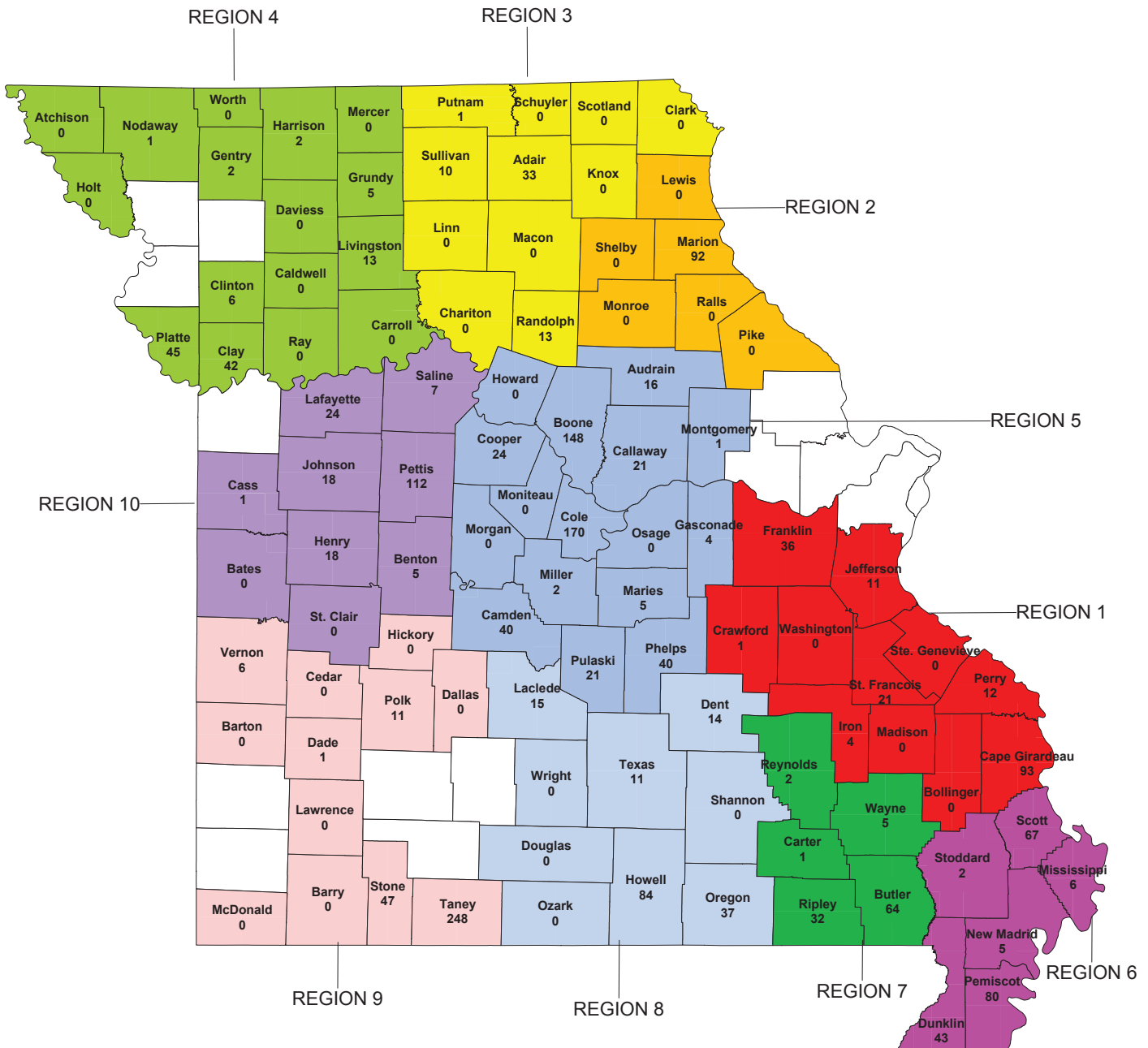


**TOTAL UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 573**

# BALANCE OF STATE

## TOTALS

### Homeless Individuals By County



**TOTAL SHELTERED AND UNSHELTERED HOMELESS: 1,901**